

Commodore Eight Bit Boosters News Letter

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The CEBB meets monthly at the Beavercreek Public Library. A short business meeting is followed by a prepared program of general interest to Commodore 64/128 users is presented. At it's conclusion, members may enjoy various services such as the Public Domain Software Library. Visitors are always welcome and membership is open to the general public. The Purpose of the CEBB is to help the Commodore 8 Bit computer user enjoy learning more about their equipment.

Your CEBB Officers

President John Feigleson Vice President Phil Longo
Sec/Tres Mike Dornbusch 236-5528

LAST MEETING

After the business portion there was a general discussion on increasing interest in the club as well as up coming events. Also discussed was alternative meeting nights and locations.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will take place at the Beavercreek Library on. March 30, 1994 (Wednesday). The doors will open at 6:30pm and the Meeting will start at 7:00pm sharp. There will be some hardware and software for sale as well as a open discussion.

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(513) 237-0268 BBS System

This BBS serves members of the CEBB as well as the general public. Anyone may log-on. If you have any questions about BBS's, modems or terminal programs just give Mike Dornbusch, who is the System Operator (SYSOP) a call at his voice number 236-5528. Mike will be happy to help you get started in the exciting world of telecommunications. If there are any files that you want and do not see contact the Hippo by E-Mail and he will D/L them from Genie or Delphi.

Commodore Eight Bit Boosters does not condone and will not tolerate commercial software piracy. Piracy is illegal and hampers the continued production of quality software for the C64 and C128 platform. All acts of piracy will be reported to the proper authorities.

Proposed Meeting Dates

The proposed meeting dates was discussed at the last meeting and will be continued at the next several meetings. There has been very little response to the last article in the newsletter. If you have any suggestions as to dates, times, or know of a reliable place to hold meetings please bring it to the attention of one of the officers. You can call me at 236-5528 if it is not possible for you to make one of the meetings.

Membership Dues Deadline

The membership dues must be paid by the 24th of February meeting if you are to continue to receive the newsletter and have unlimited use of the club BBS and libraries. It is through your continued support that the club will grow and obtain more useful software, magazines, hardware, and articles for your use and enjoyment. Please try to get your renewals in early.

Support Sources Needed

We are still looking for new sources for commodore products. Software, hardware, parts and anything else that pertains to eight-biters. If you have any addresses, phone numbers, businesses that have these items bring them in and we will compile them into a list and pass them out to all users. With all the old sources drying up we need new ones. Any information will be greatly appreciated.

Library Material Return

There still is some library material that is due to be returned. At the last meeting there was magazines returned to the library but there is still some out standing items. Those people will be contacted and asked to return those items so they can be entered into the data base. This will be a slow process as there is a lot of material and we want to do it right the first time. We still are looking at several data bases and will select one soon as the master data base for all the records.

Help For Eight-Bit and IBM Users

If you are having problems, are wanting to upgrade, need something fixed, want a deal, looking for something used, something new, or just questions honestly answered you can stop by TCE Electronics at 4990 Nebraska Ave in Huber Heights and ask for Randy Troutt. Some of you might remember him from earlier on by his business cards and working out of his home. After years of service he has opened his new store there on Nebraska Ave. Stop by and say hello and the Eight-Bit Boosters sent you. You might find that GOOD DEAL! Phone 237-7421

**Byte Your Favorite BBS
Today!**

Demonstrations Needed

There has been very little response to requested demonstrations. We will have a discussion at the next meeting and make up a roster to have different software, and hardware for presentation at future meetings. Please be there to input your request as to what you want to see presented.

For Sale and Swap Table

The Club Officers has ok'd the For Sale/Swap Table to be setup at all the meetings. If you have anything to sell or swap you can bring it along with you to the meetings.

Eight-Bit BBS News

WildCat will be coming of age soon. I have purchased a tower and power supply and will be installing WildCat on a 286 system with about 120 Megs for the IBM and Amiga users. We have a 14,4 baud modem that we will be soon using in conjunction with Color 64 Version 128 which will operate at 9600 baud. Image is still up at 2400 but we will be soon going to a one modem (14,4) for all boards. It is better to run them all off of one modem with the switch I am making for this purpose. When you lose a modem it shuts one bbs down and this way it is easier to keep a back up modem instead of having three like modems. We will be back up stronger and better. Byte Us.

There are Important Things Happening

There are some Important things happening in the club and you as members in good standing should know about them. They will be brought up at the membership meetings. This will decide which directions the club will take in the coming months. These possible changes will be put before the membership for approval. Your participation in these proposed changes is necessary for the future of the Club and its membership. Please be there and ask one of the officers. This is for members in good standing only.

For Sale (yours could be here too)

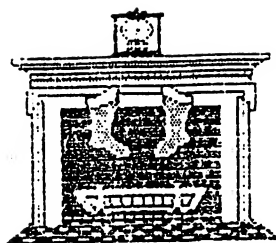
For the following items contact Michael Dornbusch at 236-5528.

Commodore MPS 803 printer	\$35.00
Tandy Model DWP-210 printer	offer
Commodore Vic-1515 printer	\$15.00

For Help in the following call

BBS	Michael Dornbusch	236-5528
Library	Phil Longo	237-8768
Software	Fred Middleton	252-9624
Geos	John Feigleson	At Meetings
Hardware	Fred Middleton	252-9624
Repair	Michael Dornbusch	236-5528
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John Feigleson or any Club Officer.



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A note from Phil

If you have anything you would like to share with us in the news letter, an article of your own or otherwise, please do so. Contact John, Mike, or me for submissions to the news letter. Remember, this is YOUR club.

LAST CHANCE! Guess who, what programs (3) and what machine produced the 1994 calendar in this news letter and win \$25. Entries must be to me by the Feb. 94 meeting and you must be a "94" member.

Sorry I missed the last meeting; my mother had a stroke and I had my hands full. She is doing much better now.

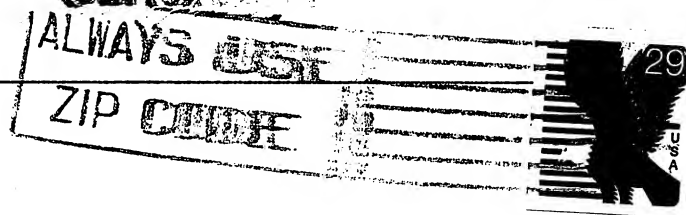
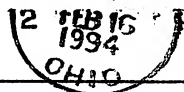
Our ex-president, Fred Middleton, has been ill lately and hospitalized. So, if you have not seen or heard from him, that's why. We wish him a speedy recovery so he may join us.

We have several new, important, upcoming, super, things, to possibly talk about that the officers want you to consider for discussion, SO please try to attend.

There will be 2 give-aways at the meeting, (two commercial programs) From the Jan. meeting

Hope to ya at the meeting , Phil

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